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TO AMEMBASSY SINGAPORE

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TAGS: PDIP, US, SN

SUBJECT: RESPONSE TO FOURTH OF JULY MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT
SHEARES

REF: SINGAPORE 3265

1. PLEASE DELIVER FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO PRESIDENT SHEARES
FROM PRESIDENT FORD:

QUOTE: ON BEHALF OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE, MRS. FORD AND I
THANK YOU FOR YOUR MOST WELCOME MESSAGE OF GOOD WISHES ON
THE COMMEMORATION OF THE 200TH ANNIVERSARY OF OUR NATION'S
INDEPENDENCE.

AS WE ENTER OUR THIRD CENTURY, THE UNITED STATES
REDEDICATES ITSELF IN WORD AND DEED TO THE PRINCIPLES OF
LIBERTY, EQUALITY AND INDIVIDUAL DIGNITY. WE DO SO WITH

THE ANTICIPATION AND CONFIDENCE THAT RELATIONS BETWEEN OUR
COUNTRIES WILL CONTINUE TO FLOURISH. SINCERELY, GERALD R.

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FORD. END QUOTE.

2. DEPT DOES NOT PLAN TO RELEASE MESSAGE BUT HAS NO OBJECTION IF EMBASSY WISHES TO DO SO. KISSINGER

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